

**Valdez-Cordova Census Area  
Not Seasonally Adjusted Labor Force Data  
1990 to 2014**

**2014**

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	4,675	4,711	4,828	4,955	5,411								
Employment	4,114	4,121	4,271	4,505	5,031								
Unemployment	561	590	557	450	380								
Unemployment Rate	12.0%	12.5%	11.5%	9.1%	7.0%								

**2013**

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	4,543	4,548	4,700	4,881	5,370	6,152	6,274	6,311	5,738	4,997	4,785	4,589	5,241
Employment	3,976	4,015	4,197	4,418	4,935	5,722	5,892	5,950	5,358	4,527	4,313	4,100	4,784
Unemployment	567	533	503	463	435	430	382	361	380	470	472	489	457
Unemployment Rate	12.5%	11.7%	10.7%	9.5%	8.1%	7.0%	6.1%	5.7%	6.6%	9.4%	9.9%	10.7%	8.7%

**2012**

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	4,662	4,528	4,703	4,852	5,265	6,101	6,293	6,279	5,605	4,765	4,518	4,480	5,171
Employment	4,120	3,971	4,187	4,390	4,832	5,667	5,907	5,925	5,233	4,312	4,047	3,958	4,712
Unemployment	542	557	516	462	433	434	386	354	372	453	471	522	459
Unemployment Rate	11.6%	12.3%	11.0%	9.5%	8.2%	7.1%	6.1%	5.6%	6.6%	9.5%	10.4%	11.7%	8.9%

**2011**

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	4,613	4,687	4,812	4,868	5,253	5,909	6,257	6,353	5,637	4,742	4,608	4,588	5,194
Employment	4,027	4,094	4,262	4,364	4,822	5,471	5,875	5,987	5,247	4,269	4,119	4,046	4,715
Unemployment	586	593	550	504	431	438	382	366	390	473	489	542	479
Unemployment Rate	12.7%	12.7%	11.4%	10.4%	8.2%	7.4%	6.1%	5.8%	6.9%	10.0%	10.6%	11.8%	9.2%

**2010**

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	4,591	4,642	4,798	4,925	5,354	5,779	5,950	6,104	5,700	4,757	4,606	4,565	5,147
Employment	4,036	4,061	4,256	4,465	4,957	5,392	5,585	5,746	5,333	4,310	4,113	4,029	4,690
Unemployment	555	581	542	460	397	387	365	358	367	447	493	536	457
Unemployment Rate	12.1%	12.5%	11.3%	9.3%	7.4%	6.7%	6.1%	5.9%	6.4%	9.4%	10.7%	11.7%	8.9%

**2009**

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	4,430	4,498	4,659	4,889	5,604	6,234	6,704	6,780	5,932	4,844	4,672	4,592	5,320
Employment	3,884	3,935	4,132	4,422	5,192	5,817	6,333	6,429	5,586	4,390	4,209	4,113	4,870
Unemployment	546	563	527	467	412	417	371	351	346	454	463	479	450
Unemployment Rate	12.3%	12.5%	11.3%	9.6%	7.4%	6.7%	5.5%	5.2%	5.8%	9.4%	9.9%	10.4%	8.5%

**2008**

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	4,540	4,650	4,766	4,933	5,431	6,076	6,382	6,407	5,946	4,763	4,615	4,477	5,249
Employment	4,021	4,120	4,245	4,485	5,041	5,703	6,036	6,084	5,620	4,347	4,178	4,016	4,825
Unemployment	519	530	521	448	390	373	346	323	326	416	437	461	424
Unemployment Rate	11.4%	11.4%	10.9%	9.1%	7.2%	6.1%	5.4%	5.0%	5.5%	8.7%	9.5%	10.3%	8.1%

**2007**

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	4,539	4,657	4,656	4,858	5,382	6,099	6,264	6,234	5,817	4,849	4,654	4,644	5,221
Employment	3,976	4,084	4,129	4,389	4,988	5,738	5,938	5,934	5,501	4,462	4,231	4,198	4,797
Unemployment	563	573	527	469	394	361	326	300	316	387	423	446	424
Unemployment Rate	12.4%	12.3%	11.3%	9.7%	7.3%	5.9%	5.2%	4.8%	5.4%	8.0%	9.1%	9.6%	8.1%

**2006**

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	4,632	4,720	4,729	4,827	5,251	5,944	6,126	6,148	5,643	4,805	4,691	4,582	5,175
Employment	4,060	4,106	4,205	4,361	4,852	5,591	5,805	5,841	5,323	4,389	4,237	4,109	4,740
Unemployment	572	614	524	466	399	353	321	307	320	416	454	473	435
Unemployment Rate	12.3%	13.0%	11.1%	9.7%	7.6%	5.9%	5.2%	5.0%	5.7%	8.7%	9.7%	10.3%	8.4%

**2005**

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	4,750	4,855	4,881	4,981	5,351	5,896	6,075	6,289	5,737	4,911	4,758	4,625	5,259
Employment	4,114	4,145	4,273	4,456	4,903	5,465	5,697	5,936	5,333	4,428	4,254	4,109	4,759
Unemployment	636	710	608	525	448	431	378	353	404	483	504	516	500
Unemployment Rate	13.4%	14.6%	12.5%	10.5%	8.4%	7.3%	6.2%	5.6%	7.0%	9.8%	10.6%	11.2%	9.5%

**2004**

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	4,832	4,967	5,013	5,078	5,464	6,197	6,426	6,433	5,794	5,191	4,867	4,853	5,427
Employment	4,176	4,266	4,347	4,503	4,965	5,711	6,018	6,042	5,380	4,673	4,320	4,288	4,891
Unemployment	656	701	666	575	499	486	408	391	414	518	547	565	536
Unemployment Rate	13.6%	14.1%	13.3%	11.3%	9.1%	7.8%	6.3%	6.1%	7.1%	10.0%	11.2%	11.6%	9.9%

**2003**

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	4,968	5,053	5,174	5,271	5,600	6,329	6,280	6,356	5,571	4,955	4,918	4,919	5,449
Employment	4,284	4,327	4,543	4,680	5,102	5,812	5,868	5,939	5,138	4,453	4,377	4,363	4,907
Unemployment	684	726	631	591	498	517	412	417	433	502	541	556	542
Unemployment Rate	13.8%	14.4%	12.2%	11.2%	8.9%	8.2%	6.6%	6.6%	7.8%	10.1%	11.0%	11.3%	9.9%

**2002**

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	4,681	4,790	4,834	5,038	5,437	5,902	6,156	6,051	5,505	4,899	4,671	4,717	5,223
Employment	4,128	4,220	4,280	4,510	5,012	5,467	5,741	5,638	5,066	4,374	4,109	4,098	4,720
Unemployment	553	570	554	528	425	435	415	413	439	525	562	619	503
Unemployment Rate	11.8%	11.9%	11.5%	10.5%	7.8%	7.4%	6.7%	6.8%	8.0%	10.7%	12.0%	13.1%	9.6%

**2001**

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	4,555	4,745	4,646	4,781	5,034	5,538	6,036	5,937	5,421	4,784	4,689	4,727	5,075
Employment	4,023	4,168	4,148	4,275	4,634	5,168	5,726	5,642	5,113	4,376	4,259	4,240	4,648
Unemployment	532	577	498	506	400	370	310	295	308	408	430	487	427
Unemployment Rate	11.7%	12.2%	10.7%	10.6%	7.9%	6.7%	5.1%	5.0%	5.7%	8.5%	9.2%	10.3%	8.4%

**2000**

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	4,698	4,831	4,856	5,012	5,269	5,980	6,023	6,019	5,471	5,130	4,634	4,600	5,211
Employment	4,193	4,361	4,401	4,586	4,890	5,633	5,747	5,738	5,196	4,754	4,228	4,168	4,825
Unemployment	505	470	455	426	379	347	276	281	275	376	406	432	386
Unemployment Rate	10.7%	9.7%	9.4%	8.5%	7.2%	5.8%	4.6%	4.7%	5.0%	7.3%	8.8%	9.4%	7.4%

**1999**

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	4,876	4,848	4,868	4,933	5,043	5,440	5,531	5,375	5,107	5,022	4,815	4,717	5,048
Employment	4,251	4,305	4,378	4,478	4,674	5,005	5,257	5,119	4,805	4,540	4,325	4,206	4,612
Unemployment	625	543	490	455	369	435	274	256	302	482	490	511	436
Unemployment Rate	12.8%	11.2%	10.1%	9.2%	7.3%	8.0%	5.0%	4.8%	5.9%	9.6%	10.2%	10.8%	8.6%

**1998**

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	4,923	4,922	4,883	4,891	5,039	5,437	5,576	5,467	5,182	4,918	4,758	4,731	5,061
Employment	4,311	4,343	4,340	4,398	4,656	5,040	5,273	5,181	4,864	4,493	4,302	4,245	4,621
Unemployment	612	579	543	493	383	397	303	286	318	425	456	486	440
Unemployment Rate	12.4%	11.8%	11.1%	10.1%	7.6%	7.3%	5.4%	5.2%	6.1%	8.6%	9.6%	10.3%	8.7%

**1997**

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	5,016	5,181	5,212	5,257	5,251	5,768	6,129	5,877	5,433	5,129	4,946	4,822	5,335
Employment	4,328	4,494	4,516	4,645	4,810	5,281	5,691	5,502	5,030	4,624	4,440	4,312	4,806
Unemployment	688	687	696	612	441	487	438	375	403	505	506	510	529
Unemployment Rate	13.7%	13.3%	13.4%	11.6%	8.4%	8.4%	7.1%	6.4%	7.4%	9.8%	10.2%	10.6%	9.9%

**1996**

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	5,020	5,067	5,208	5,157	5,359	5,651	6,015	5,846	5,402	5,089	4,978	4,897	5,308
Employment	4,268	4,425	4,523	4,522	4,832	5,163	5,578	5,484	5,006	4,573	4,374	4,223	4,748
Unemployment	752	642	685	635	527	488	437	362	396	516	604	674	560
Unemployment Rate	15.0%	12.7%	13.2%	12.3%	9.8%	8.6%	7.3%	6.2%	7.3%	10.1%	12.1%	13.8%	10.6%

**1995**

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	5,072	5,142	5,215	5,182	5,361	5,690	6,078	5,972	5,383	5,324	5,112	4,914	5,371
Employment	4,436	4,582	4,629	4,625	4,872	5,245	5,658	5,502	5,043	4,825	4,543	4,356	4,860
Unemployment	636	560	586	557	489	445	420	470	340	499	569	558	511
Unemployment Rate	12.5%	10.9%	11.2%	10.7%	9.1%	7.8%	6.9%	7.9%	6.3%	9.4%	11.1%	11.4%	9.5%

**1994**

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	4,862	5,209	5,172	5,076	5,222	5,693	6,058	5,837	5,267	5,202	5,011	4,772	5,282
Employment	4,197	4,517	4,577	4,502	4,729	5,264	5,610	5,425	4,910	4,705	4,531	4,336	4,775
Unemployment	665	692	595	574	493	429	448	412	357	497	480	436	507
Unemployment Rate	13.7%	13.3%	11.5%	11.3%	9.4%	7.5%	7.4%	7.1%	6.8%	9.6%	9.6%	9.1%	9.6%

#### 1993

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	4,556	4,774	4,883	4,949	5,127	5,753	6,136	5,847	5,208	5,216	5,011	4,929	5,199
Employment	3,979	4,166	4,323	4,433	4,677	5,285	5,727	5,510	4,894	4,726	4,493	4,396	4,717
Unemployment	577	608	560	516	450	468	409	337	314	490	518	533	482
Unemployment Rate	12.7%	12.7%	11.5%	10.4%	8.8%	8.1%	6.7%	5.8%	6.0%	9.4%	10.3%	10.8%	9.3%

#### 1992

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	4,750	4,899	4,919	4,967	5,153	5,646	5,797	5,442	5,203	5,032	4,814	4,739	5,113
Employment	4,027	4,127	4,209	4,364	4,611	5,107	5,366	5,117	4,858	4,623	4,370	4,306	4,590
Unemployment	723	772	710	603	542	539	431	325	345	409	444	433	523
Unemployment Rate	15.2%	15.8%	14.4%	12.1%	10.5%	9.5%	7.4%	6.0%	6.6%	8.1%	9.2%	9.1%	10.2%

#### 1991

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	4,850	4,937	5,021	5,156	5,224	5,483	5,870	5,665	5,151	4,851	4,799	4,679	5,141
Employment	4,251	4,297	4,352	4,582	4,773	5,064	5,539	5,308	4,870	4,459	4,286	4,181	4,664
Unemployment	599	640	669	574	451	419	331	357	281	392	513	498	477
Unemployment Rate	12.4%	13.0%	13.3%	11.1%	8.6%	7.6%	5.6%	6.3%	5.5%	8.1%	10.7%	10.6%	9.3%

#### 1990

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
Labor Force	4,772	4,965	5,044	5,268	5,594	5,650	5,923	5,709	4,935	4,861	4,826	4,824	5,198
Employment	4,096	4,192	4,253	4,481	4,760	5,091	5,502	5,338	4,590	4,483	4,345	4,321	4,621
Unemployment	676	773	791	787	834	559	421	371	345	378	481	503	577
Unemployment Rate	14.2%	15.6%	15.7%	14.9%	14.9%	9.9%	7.1%	6.5%	7.0%	7.8%	10.0%	10.4%	11.1%

A change in the way the labor force statistics are calculated for boroughs and census areas makes data prior to 2000 not comparable with data from 2000 forward.

#### Definitions:

- **Labor Force:** Includes all persons in the civilian noninstitutional population classified as either employed or unemployed. (See the definitions below).
- **Employment:** These are all persons who, during the reference week (the week including the 12th day of the month), (a) did any work as paid employees, worked in their own business or profession or on their own farm, or worked 15 hours or more as unpaid workers in an enterprise operated by a member of their family, or (b) were not working but who had jobs from which they were temporarily absent because of vacation, illness, bad weather, childcare problems, maternity or paternity leave, labor-management dispute job training, or other family or personal reasons, whether or not they were paid for the time off or were seeking other jobs. Each employed person is counted only once, even if he or she holds more than one job.
- **Unemployment:** Includes all persons who had no employment during the reference week, were available for work, except for temporary illness, and had made specific efforts to find employment some time during the 4 week-period ending with the reference week. Persons who were waiting to be recalled to a job from which they had been laid off need not have been looking for work to be classified as unemployed.
- **Unemployment Rate:** The ratio of unemployed to the civilian labor force expressed as a percent [i.e., 100 times (unemployed/labor force)].

Source: Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section  
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